EXHIBIT "B"

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 1 2 FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAII 3 WAYNE BERRY, 4 Plaintiff, 5) CIVIL NO. 01-00446SPK-LEK 6 vs. FLEMING COMPANIES, INC., aka FLEMING FOODS, INC., aka FLEMING, DOE 8 INDIVIDUALS 1-50 and DOE PARTNERSHIPS, CORPORATIONS and OTHER 10 ENTITIES 1-20, 11 Defendants. 12 13 TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS 14 The above-entitled matter came on for Further 15 Jury Trial commencing at 9:20 a.m. on Friday, February 16 17 28, 2003, Honolulu, Hawaii, 18 19 BEFORE: HONORABLE SAMUEL P. KING 20 United States District Judge 21 District of Hawaii 22 23 24 REPORTED BY: LISA J. GROULX, COURT REPORTER

Notary Public, State of Hawaii

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24	ALSO PRESENT:	Ralph Stussi
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                   THE COURT: You're through for this
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     morning.
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                   THE WITNESS: Okay. Yes.
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              (Witness excused.)
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                   THE COURT: Okay. Recess.
              (Recess taken 11:20 - 11:35 a.m.)
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                   THE COURT: Note the presence of the
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     jury.
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              Please be seated. Swear the witness.
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                          RALPH STUSSI
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     was called as a witness by the plaintiff, after having
     been sworn to tell the truth, the whole truth and
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     nothing but the truth, was examined and testified as
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     follows:
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                   THE CLERK: Please be seated. State
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     your name for the record and spell your last name,
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     please.
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                   THE WITNESS: Ralph Stussi, S-t-u-s-s-i.
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                       DIRECT EXAMINATION
     BY MR. HOGAN:
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         Q. Good morning, Mr. Stussi. I guess it's still
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    morning.
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              Would you state where are you presently
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     employed, sir?
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A. For Fleming Companies, Inc.

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- 1 Q. And you are not presently the Hawaii division
- 2 president, are you, sir?
- 3 A. No, sir.
- 4 Q. And were you ever the Hawaii division
- 5 president?
- 6 A. Yes, I was.
- 7 Q. When did you cease being the Hawaii division
- 8 president?
- 9 A. April of 2002.
- 10 Q. And where do you presently work, sir?
- 11 A. I'm at the Garland, Texas division as the
- 12 division president.
- 13 Q. Now are you a certified public accountant,
- 14 sir?
- 15 A. Yes, I am.
- Q. And in that job you review a lot of paper in
- 17 your work as a certified public accountant?
- 18 THE COURT: Do you want to treat him as
- 19 an adverse witness?
- MR. HOGAN: Yes, Your Honor, if I may.
- 21 THE COURT: Do you have any objection?
- MR. SMITH: No objection.
- 23 THE COURT: I mean you're going to do it
- 24 anyway, so might as well have the record show it, even
- 25 though he may not be adverse. You may do so.